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SUBJECT: VISIT OF INTERIOR MINISTER LIN

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- 1. MINISTER OF INTERIOR LIN IS NOW IN SEOUL AND WILL PROCEED TO US DIRECTLY WITHOUT RETURNING TO TAIPEI.
- 2.A. LIN'S SCHEDULE AS GIVEN EMBASSY BY HIS OFFICE IN MINISTRY OF INTERIOR DIFFERS SOMEWHAT FROM THAT PARA 2A REFTEL. LIN PLANS TO BE IN SEATTLE JULY 16-17, DETROIT JULY 17-18, WASHINGTON AND NEW YORK JULY 18-22. HE WILL BE IN HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT FOR THE FIFTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE LAND REFORM TRAINING CONFERENCE OF THE LINCOLN FOUNDATION JULY 22-24, SAN FRANCISCO JULY 24-26 AND HONLULU JULY 26.
- 2.B. ACCORDING TO LIN'S SECRETARY, LIN DOES NOT PLAN TO TAKE OVERNIGHT FLIGHT REFTEL PARA 2B.
- 2.C. LIN WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY LIN CHENG-CHEN, A LAND REFORM EXPERT WHO WILL ACCOMPANY HIM ONLY AS FAR AS HART-FORD AND PROCEED THENCE TO A LAND REFORM CONFERENCE IN EUROPE. DR. T.H. SHEN, FORMER CHAIRMAN OF THE SINO-AMERICAN JOINT COMMISSION ON RURAL RECONSTRUCTION, AND UNCLASSIFIED

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PHILIP C.C. CHANG, CHAIRMAN OF ROC'S COMMITTEE ON

INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, WILL ALSO ATTEND HARTFORD CONFERENCE.

W.D. THE MINISTER SPEAKS ENGLISH ONLY FAIRLY WELL.

3. DISCUSSION TOPICS SUGGESTED BY ROC EMBASSY ARE PROBABLY SPECULATIVE AND IMPLY MORE SUBSTANCE THAN HE IS LIKELY TO PURSUE. WE UNDERSTAND HE WISHES TO VISIT MEMBER OF HIS FAMILY IN US WHICH MAY ACCOUNT FOR SOME SHORT STOPS.

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